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For: THERMOCATALYTIC CO2 FREE PRODUCTION OF HYDROGEN AND CARBON FROM HYDROCARBONS

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Honorable Assistant Commissioner:

This is a request for filing a Divisional Application under 37 CFR 1.53 of pending prior application Serial No. 09/824,437 filed April 2, 2001. This Divisional Application elects to cancel claims 1- 14 and 20. Applicant elects to prosecute claims 15 – 19 and 21 - 26 with this application. Please also enter the enclosed non-publication request, Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98, Supplement PTO-1449 and formal drawings.

1. Enclosed is a copy of the prior application, including the oath or declaration as originally filed, and I hereby verify that the attached papers are a true copy of the prior application Serial No. 09/824,437 as originally filed on April 2, 2001.

2. The filing fee is calculated below:

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FEE CALCULATION

Basic Filing Fee	\$385.00
Total Claims in excess of 20: $0 - 20 = 0 @ \$9.00 =$.00
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TOTAL FEE: \$385.00

3. Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: -- This is a Divisional of Application Serial No. 09/824,437 filed April 2, 2001.

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4. Amend the claims before calculating the filing fee as follows:

Enter the attached Preliminary Amendment

5. The following have received Power of Attorney in the prior application: Brian S. Steinberger, Registration No. 36,423, Law Office of Brian S. Steinberger, P. A. Customer no.: 23717.

6. A copy of the Power of Attorney in the prior application is enclosed.


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The prior application is assigned of record to: University of Central Florida, a state university which is a nonprofit institution. Enclosed is a copy of the Assignment form dated April 2, 2001, recorded on reel/frame 011724/0035.

The undersigned declares further that all statements made herein of his own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application of any patent issuing thereon.

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**NONPUBLICATION REQUEST
UNDER
35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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I hereby certify that the invention disclosed in the attached application has not and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.

I hereby request that the attached application not be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b).

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NAZIM Z. MURADOV

This request must be signed in compliance with 37 CFR 1.33(b) and submitted with the application upon filing.

Applicant may rescind this nonpublication request at any time. If applicant rescinds a request that an application not be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b), the application will be scheduled for publication at eighteen months from the earliest claimed filing date for which a benefit is claimed.

If applicant subsequently files an application directed to the invention disclosed in the attached application in another country, or under a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication of applications eighteen months after filing, the applicant must notify the United States Patent and Trademark Office of such filing within forty-five (45) days after the date of the filing of such foreign or international application. Failure to do so will result in abandonment of this application (36 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(ii)).